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## POW Photos Donated to Andersonville National Historic Site

Andersonville National Historic Site exists to preserve and interpret the history of American prisoners of war. Our work brings us in close contact with men and women who experienced captivity, from World War II to the present. The park has had a formal partnership with the American Ex-Prisoners of War since 1984, and this relationship was instrumental to the planning, construction, and opening of the National Prisoner of War Museum in April 1998. These former POWs are a source of artifact donations, oral histories, volunteer POW hosts, and often serve as advocates for the park. They are living sources of the history the park interprets.

Angelo Spinelli, an Army Signal Corps photographer taken prisoner in North Africa, took over 400 photographs secretly of Stalag III-B and Stalag III-A in February 1943. Upon arrival at Stalag III-B, he traded eight

packs of cigarettes for a Bessa Voightlander camera, and proceeded to document, in complete secrecy and at great personal risk, life as a POW of the Germans. Andersonville's Chief Ranger, Fred Sanchez, made contact with Mr. Spinelli and established a relationship, which included conducting an oral history of his experience for the park's oral history collection.

To celebrate Former Prisoner of War Recognition Day and the second anniversary of the opening of the National Prisoner of War Museum, Sanchez planned a temporary/traveling exhibit using 92 of Spinelli's photographs, most of which have never been published. On April 7, 2000, the park hosted a reception to debut the exhibit and honor Mr. Spinelli. However, the most important event to occur in the course of producing the exhibit was Mr. Spinelli's decision to donate the negatives, the two German cameras, and the tripod he used. There is no other single collection of artifacts that document life as a POW of the Germans like this one, which will become even more important once those who experienced captivity are gone. This priceless collection is one of the most significant additions to National



A group of American POWs dividing their bread rations and preparing for a meal at Stalag 3-B in North Africa. Photo taken secretly by POW Angelo Spinelli. Andersonville National Historic Site (accession ANDE-699). Photo courtesy Andersonville National Historic Site, National Park Service.

Park Service cultural resources in recent years. It is also a perfect example of how a park, and ultimately the public, can benefit when the Park Service reaches out to other individuals and organizations devoted to the same history.

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